

VE DAY

This week aims to provide you with opportunities to learn more about VE Day, the 75th anniversary of which will be celebrated on Friday 8th May 2020.

Choose an activity to look at each day – remember you can send us photos at teacher@kingslandengland.hereford.sch.uk

Kingsland CE Primary School

Have a picnic

Decorate bunting

Stay at home street party!

Friday 8th May

Celebrate 75th Anniversary of VE Day

Cook a wartime recipe to eat with your picnic

Decorate your house in red, white and blue

Take photos and send them to teacher@kingslandengland.hereford.sch.uk for our newsletter

Celebrate with a 'Stay at Home Street Party' on Friday 8th May. Have a picnic outdoors (or inside if it's raining!) and design some bunting to decorate your house with.

Morse Code

Morse code is a communication system that represents the alphabet and numbers with a series of dots or dashes or a combination of both like you can see [here](#).

Can you write a secret coded message for your family to crack?

Make, Do and Mend

During WW2 there was a shortage of materials to make clothes. People were urged to make, do and mend.

Do you have any clothes or accessories that you could 'upcycle' into new clothing or something completely different to give it a new purpose?

Wartime Recipes

Due to [rationing](#), cooking during WW2 needed to be creative.

Find out what families were eating and [try a recipe](#). Perhaps you could share it at your picnic on Friday?

[Wartime Recipe Booklet](#)

[Jam Tarts](#)

[WW2 Cake](#)

Phonetic alphabet

The phonetic alphabet was used in RAF transmissions during the war. [Learn to spell your name using the phonetic alphabet](#).

A	Alfa	N	November
B	Bravo	O	Oscar
C	Charlie	P	Papa
D	Delta	Q	Quebec
E	Echo	R	Romeo
F	Foxtrot	S	Sierra
G	Golf	T	Tango
H	Hotel	U	Uniform
I	India	V	Victor
J	Juliett	W	Whisky
K	Kilo	X	X-ray
L	Lima	Y	Yankee
M	Mike	Z	Zulu

VE Day Songs

Why not try to learn the Horrible Histories [VE Day Song](#) and perform it to your family.

Learn the words to '[We'll Meet Again](#)', which the nation is being encouraged to sing on their doorsteps after the Queen's address on Friday evening.

Some of you may even like to learn to [Swing Dance](#) which originated in New York in the 1920s and 1930s.

Spitfire Science

Design and make your own spitfire. You could make it out of paper, wood, recycled materials, etc. Test out your design. How far does it glide?

[Does the material used for the paper plane affect the distance it travels?](#)

Trying using newspaper, tin foil, card, lollipop sticks, etc to carry out this task.

Remember only change ONE thing to make it a fair test.

Winston Churchill

Who was Winston Churchill? Why do we remember him today?

- What was his job?
- Why was he important in WW2?
- What was one of his famous phrases?
- What were his characteristics?

[Produce a biography \(Classes 4 and 5\), fact file \(Class 3\), poster or mind map \(Class 2\).](#)